

Oregon 2009 BRFSS

'The food that we bought just didn't last, and we didn't have money to get more.'
Was this statement often, sometimes, or never true for you in the last 12 months?

(Weighted Column Percents)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Often true | | 2.8 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 4.4 | 3.4 | 2.9 | 1.3 |
| Sometimes true | | 11.7 | 22.1 | 18.5 | 12.5 | 10.8 | 5.9 | 3.7 |
| Never true | | 85.5 | 75.5 | 79.0 | 83.1 | 85.9 | 91.1 | 95.1 |
| MALE | Often true | 2.7 | | 2.2 | 4.5 | 3.9 | 2.9 | 1.8 |
| | Sometimes true | 10.9 | 23.6 | 18.4 | 9.1 | 8.6 | 5.8 | 2.8 |
| | Never true | 86.3 | 76.4 | 79.4 | 86.4 | 87.5 | 91.2 | 95.4 |
| FEMALE | Often true | 2.9 | 4.7 | 2.6 | 4.2 | 2.9 | 3.0 | .9 |
| | Sometimes true | 12.5 | 20.6 | 18.7 | 16.1 | 12.8 | 6.0 | 4.4 |
| | Never true | 84.7 | 74.6 | 78.7 | 79.7 | 84.3 | 91.0 | 94.8 |

Denominator is:
 All survey respondents.

'The food that we bought just didn't last, and we didn't have money to get more.'
Was this statement often, sometimes, or never true for you in the last 12 months?

(Unweighted Frequencies)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Total | | 2,466 | 62 | 132 | 280 | 437 | 677 | 878 |
| Often true | | 69 | 2 | 4 | 14 | 18 | 21 | 10 |
| Sometimes true | | 196 | 14 | 23 | 38 | 42 | 43 | 36 |
| Never true | | 2,190 | 46 | 104 | 227 | 376 | 612 | 825 |
| Don't know/Not sure | | 7 | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 4 |
| Refused | | 4 | | | | 1 | | 3 |
| MALE | Total | 930 | 31 | 46 | 127 | 161 | 284 | 281 |
| | Often true | 28 | | 2 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 5 |
| | Sometimes true | 66 | 7 | 8 | 12 | 12 | 19 | 8 |
| | Never true | 832 | 24 | 36 | 108 | 141 | 256 | 267 |
| | Don't know/Not sure | 2 | | | 1 | | 1 | |
| FEMALE | Total | 1,536 | 31 | 86 | 153 | 276 | 393 | 597 |
| | Often true | 41 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 11 | 13 | 5 |
| | Sometimes true | 130 | 7 | 15 | 26 | 30 | 24 | 28 |
| | Never true | 1,358 | 22 | 68 | 119 | 235 | 356 | 558 |
| | Don't know/Not sure | 5 | | 1 | | | | 4 |
| Refused | | 2 | | | | | | 2 |

Denominator is:
 All survey respondents.

'We couldn't afford balanced meals.'
Was this statement often, sometimes, or never true for you in the last 12 months?

(Weighted Column Percents)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Often true | | 3.1 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 3.4 | 5.3 | 2.8 | 1.8 |
| Sometimes true | | 8.7 | 17.4 | 10.7 | 10.4 | 6.9 | 6.0 | 3.9 |
| Never true | | 88.2 | 79.8 | 87.2 | 86.2 | 87.8 | 91.2 | 94.3 |
| MALE | Often true | 2.9 | | 2.7 | 3.1 | 6.0 | 2.6 | 1.7 |
| | Sometimes true | 8.7 | 21.6 | 13.5 | 7.4 | 5.8 | 4.6 | 2.7 |
| | Never true | 88.4 | 78.4 | 83.9 | 89.6 | 88.2 | 92.9 | 95.6 |
| FEMALE | Often true | 3.3 | 5.7 | 1.6 | 3.7 | 4.6 | 3.1 | 1.9 |
| | Sometimes true | 8.7 | 13.1 | 7.6 | 13.6 | 7.9 | 7.4 | 4.8 |
| | Never true | 88.0 | 81.2 | 90.8 | 82.7 | 87.5 | 89.5 | 93.2 |

Denominator is:
 All survey respondents.

'We couldn't afford balanced meals.'
Was this statement often, sometimes, or never true for you in the last 12 months?

(Unweighted Frequencies)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Total | | 2,465 | 62 | 132 | 280 | 437 | 677 | 877 |
| Often true | | 80 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 25 | 23 | 17 |
| Sometimes true | | 169 | 9 | 11 | 34 | 34 | 43 | 38 |
| Never true | | 2,202 | 50 | 117 | 237 | 376 | 608 | 814 |
| Don't know/Not sure | | 9 | | 1 | | 1 | 2 | 5 |
| Refused | | 5 | | | | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| MALE | Total | 930 | 31 | 46 | 127 | 161 | 284 | 281 |
| | Often true | 27 | | 1 | 3 | 10 | 8 | 5 |
| | Sometimes true | 56 | 6 | 5 | 12 | 10 | 15 | 8 |
| | Never true | 841 | 25 | 40 | 112 | 139 | 259 | 266 |
| | Don't know/Not sure | 3 | | | | 1 | 2 | |
| | Refused | 3 | | | | 1 | | 2 |
| FEMALE | Total | 1,535 | 31 | 86 | 153 | 276 | 393 | 596 |
| | Often true | 53 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 15 | 15 | 12 |
| | Sometimes true | 113 | 3 | 6 | 22 | 24 | 28 | 30 |
| | Never true | 1,361 | 25 | 77 | 125 | 237 | 349 | 548 |
| | Don't know/Not sure | 6 | | 1 | | | | 5 |
| | Refused | 2 | | | | | 1 | 1 |

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In the last 12 months, did you or other adults in your household ever cut the size or your meals or skip meals because there wasn't enough money for food?

(Weighted Column Percents)

| | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Yes | 7.2 | 9.0 | 8.1 | 9.1 | 8.8 | 6.0 | 2.8 |
| No | 92.8 | 91.0 | 91.9 | 90.9 | 91.2 | 94.0 | 97.2 |
| MALE Yes | 6.1 | 3.0 | 6.3 | 8.8 | 8.5 | 5.9 | 2.3 |
| No | 93.9 | 97.0 | 93.7 | 91.2 | 91.5 | 94.1 | 97.7 |
| FEMALE Yes | 8.3 | 15.0 | 10.1 | 9.4 | 9.1 | 6.1 | 3.2 |
| No | 91.7 | 85.0 | 89.9 | 90.6 | 90.9 | 93.9 | 96.8 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents.

In the last 12 months, did you or other adults in your household ever cut the size or your meals or skip meals because there wasn't enough money for food?

(Unweighted Frequencies)

| | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|---------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Total | 2,465 | 62 | 132 | 280 | 437 | 677 | 877 |
| Yes | 163 | 6 | 12 | 29 | 40 | 48 | 28 |
| No | 2,293 | 56 | 120 | 251 | 396 | 628 | 842 |
| Don't know/Not sure | 4 | | | | | | 4 |
| Refused | 5 | | | | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| MALE Total | 930 | 31 | 46 | 127 | 161 | 284 | 281 |
| Yes | 57 | 1 | 3 | 12 | 13 | 21 | 7 |
| No | 870 | 30 | 43 | 115 | 147 | 263 | 272 |
| Refused | 3 | | | | 1 | | 2 |
| FEMALE Total | 1,535 | 31 | 86 | 153 | 276 | 393 | 596 |
| Yes | 106 | 5 | 9 | 17 | 27 | 27 | 21 |
| No | 1,423 | 26 | 77 | 136 | 249 | 365 | 570 |
| Don't know/Not sure | 4 | | | | | | 4 |
| Refused | 2 | | | | | 1 | 1 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents.

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How often did this happen?

(Weighted Column Percents)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Almost every month | | 52.9 | 70.0 | 41.3 | 52.4 | 53.4 | 54.2 | 49.0 |
| Some months but not every month | | 23.1 | 5.2 | 29.2 | 20.8 | 21.5 | 35.8 | 30.8 |
| Only 1 or 2 months | | 24.0 | 24.8 | 29.4 | 26.8 | 25.1 | 10.0 | 20.2 |
| MALE | Almost every month | 53.6 | | 57.2 | 63.3 | 47.4 | 55.7 | 73.4 |
| | Some months but not every month | 17.5 | | | 16.3 | 27.1 | 39.3 | |
| | Only 1 or 2 months | 28.9 | 100.0 | 42.8 | 20.4 | 25.4 | 4.9 | 26.6 |
| FEMALE | Almost every month | 52.4 | 84.2 | 30.8 | 41.7 | 58.7 | 52.8 | 35.1 |
| | Some months but not every month | 27.0 | 6.3 | 48.7 | 25.2 | 16.5 | 32.6 | 48.4 |
| | Only 1 or 2 months | 20.6 | 9.5 | 20.5 | 33.1 | 24.8 | 14.6 | 16.6 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents who had cut the size of their meals or skipped meals.

How often did this happen?

(Unweighted Frequencies)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Total | | 163 | 6 | 12 | 29 | 40 | 48 | 28 |
| Almost every month | | 80 | 3 | 4 | 16 | 19 | 25 | 13 |
| Some months but not every month | | 45 | 1 | 5 | 6 | 9 | 15 | 9 |
| Only 1 or 2 months | | 35 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 11 | 7 | 5 |
| Don't know/Not sure | | 2 | | | | 1 | 1 | |
| Refused | | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| MALE | Total | 57 | 1 | 3 | 12 | 13 | 21 | 7 |
| | Almost every month | 31 | | 2 | 8 | 5 | 11 | 5 |
| | Some months but not every month | 13 | | | 2 | 4 | 7 | |
| | Only 1 or 2 months | 12 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| | Don't know/Not sure | 1 | | | | | 1 | |
| FEMALE | Total | 106 | 5 | 9 | 17 | 27 | 27 | 21 |
| | Almost every month | 49 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 14 | 14 | 8 |
| | Some months but not every month | 32 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 9 |
| | Only 1 or 2 months | 23 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 5 | 3 |
| | Don't know/Not sure | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| Refused | | 1 | | | | | | 1 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents who had cut the size of their meals or skipped meals.

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In the last 12 months, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there wasn't enough money to buy food?

(Weighted Column Percents)

| | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Yes | 6.7 | 8.4 | 7.7 | 9.2 | 7.2 | 5.3 | 3.0 |
| No | 93.3 | 91.6 | 92.3 | 90.8 | 92.8 | 94.7 | 97.0 |
| MALE Yes | 5.7 | | 7.2 | 10.2 | 6.1 | 6.0 | 1.9 |
| MALE No | 94.3 | 100.0 | 92.8 | 89.8 | 93.9 | 94.0 | 98.1 |
| FEMALE Yes | 7.7 | 16.9 | 8.3 | 8.0 | 8.1 | 4.7 | 3.9 |
| FEMALE No | 92.3 | 83.1 | 91.7 | 92.0 | 91.9 | 95.3 | 96.1 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents.

In the last 12 months, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there wasn't enough money to buy food?

(Unweighted Frequencies)

| | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Total | 2,463 | 62 | 132 | 279 | 437 | 677 | 876 |
| Yes | 152 | 5 | 11 | 29 | 35 | 41 | 31 |
| No | 2,302 | 57 | 121 | 250 | 400 | 635 | 839 |
| Don't know/Not sure | 2 | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| Refused | 7 | | | | 1 | 1 | 5 |
| MALE Total | 929 | 31 | 46 | 127 | 161 | 284 | 280 |
| MALE Yes | 55 | | 4 | 14 | 11 | 20 | 6 |
| MALE No | 869 | 31 | 42 | 113 | 148 | 264 | 271 |
| MALE Don't know/Not sure | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| MALE Refused | 4 | | | | 1 | | 3 |
| FEMALE Total | 1,534 | 31 | 86 | 152 | 276 | 393 | 596 |
| FEMALE Yes | 97 | 5 | 7 | 15 | 24 | 21 | 25 |
| FEMALE No | 1,433 | 26 | 79 | 137 | 252 | 371 | 568 |
| FEMALE Don't know/Not sure | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| FEMALE Refused | 3 | | | | | 1 | 2 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents.

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In the last 12 months, were you ever hungry but didn't eat because you couldn't afford enough food?

(Weighted Column Percents)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|--------|-----|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Yes | | 4.5 | 9.7 | 5.4 | 4.8 | 3.6 | 4.4 | 1.2 |
| No | | 95.5 | 90.3 | 94.6 | 95.2 | 96.4 | 95.6 | 98.8 |
| MALE | Yes | 4.0 | 4.5 | 3.6 | 5.9 | 3.4 | 5.4 | 1.1 |
| | No | 96.0 | 95.5 | 96.4 | 94.1 | 96.6 | 94.6 | 98.9 |
| FEMALE | Yes | 5.0 | 15.0 | 7.4 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 3.4 | 1.3 |
| | No | 95.0 | 85.0 | 92.6 | 96.5 | 96.2 | 96.6 | 98.7 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents.

In the last 12 months, were you ever hungry but didn't eat because you couldn't afford enough food?

(Unweighted Frequencies)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Total | | 2,461 | 62 | 131 | 279 | 437 | 677 | 875 |
| Yes | | 97 | 5 | 8 | 15 | 20 | 35 | 14 |
| No | | 2,357 | 57 | 123 | 264 | 416 | 641 | 856 |
| Don't know/Not sure | | 2 | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Refused | | 5 | | | | 1 | | 4 |
| MALE | Total | 929 | 31 | 46 | 127 | 161 | 284 | 280 |
| | Yes | 40 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 7 | 19 | 3 |
| | No | 885 | 30 | 44 | 119 | 153 | 265 | 274 |
| Refused | | 4 | | | | 1 | | 3 |
| FEMALE | Total | 1,532 | 31 | 85 | 152 | 276 | 393 | 595 |
| | Yes | 57 | 4 | 6 | 7 | 13 | 16 | 11 |
| | No | 1,472 | 27 | 79 | 145 | 263 | 376 | 582 |
| | Don't know/Not sure | 2 | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Refused | | 1 | | | | | | 1 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents.

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Oregon adults living in food insecure households.

(Weighted Column Percents)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|--------|-----|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| No | | 88.8 | 83.3 | 89.4 | 84.1 | 87.6 | 91.1 | 95.6 |
| Yes | | 11.2 | 16.7 | 10.6 | 15.9 | 12.4 | 8.9 | 4.4 |
| MALE | No | 90.1 | 84.4 | 91.0 | 86.5 | 89.4 | 91.1 | 96.9 |
| | Yes | 9.9 | 15.6 | 9.0 | 13.5 | 10.6 | 8.9 | 3.1 |
| FEMALE | No | 87.6 | 82.2 | 87.6 | 81.6 | 85.9 | 91.1 | 94.5 |
| | Yes | 12.4 | 17.8 | 12.4 | 18.4 | 14.1 | 8.9 | 5.5 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents who answered "yes" to at least two of the six hunger questions.

Oregon adults living in food insecure households.

(Unweighted Frequencies)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Total | | 2,461 | 62 | 131 | 279 | 437 | 677 | 875 |
| No | | 2,216 | 52 | 117 | 230 | 378 | 610 | 829 |
| Yes | | 240 | 10 | 14 | 49 | 58 | 66 | 43 |
| Don't know/Not sure/Refused | | 5 | | | | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| MALE | Total | 929 | 31 | 46 | 127 | 161 | 284 | 280 |
| | No | 847 | 27 | 42 | 109 | 143 | 256 | 270 |
| | Yes | 80 | 4 | 4 | 18 | 17 | 28 | 9 |
| | Don't know/Not sure/Refused | 2 | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| FEMALE | Total | 1,532 | 31 | 85 | 152 | 276 | 393 | 595 |
| | No | 1,369 | 25 | 75 | 121 | 235 | 354 | 559 |
| | Yes | 160 | 6 | 10 | 31 | 41 | 38 | 34 |
| | Don't know/Not sure/Refused | 3 | | | | | 1 | 2 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents who answered "yes" to at least two of the six hunger questions.

Oregon adults living in households that have experienced hunger at times.

(Weighted Column Percents)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|--------|-----|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| No | | 96.0 | 94.0 | 95.3 | 95.7 | 95.9 | 96.2 | 98.4 |
| Yes | | 4.0 | 6.0 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 4.1 | 3.8 | 1.6 |
| MALE | No | 96.9 | 100.0 | 96.4 | 95.1 | 95.8 | 96.6 | 98.5 |
| | Yes | 3.1 | | 3.6 | 4.9 | 4.2 | 3.4 | 1.5 |
| FEMALE | No | 95.2 | 87.9 | 94.1 | 96.3 | 95.9 | 95.7 | 98.3 |
| | Yes | 4.8 | 12.1 | 5.9 | 3.7 | 4.1 | 4.3 | 1.7 |

Denominator is:
All survey respondents who answered "yes" to at least five of the six hunger questions.

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Oregon adults living in households that have experienced hunger at times.

(Unweighted Frequencies)

| | | Age Groups | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| | | Total | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ |
| Total | | 2,461 | 62 | 131 | 279 | 437 | 677 | 875 |
| No | | 2,355 | 59 | 123 | 263 | 415 | 645 | 850 |
| Yes | | 94 | 3 | 7 | 16 | 21 | 31 | 16 |
| Don't know/Not sure/Refused | | 12 | | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 9 |
| MALE | Total | 929 | 31 | 46 | 127 | 161 | 284 | 280 |
| | No | 892 | 31 | 44 | 119 | 153 | 271 | 274 |
| | Yes | 34 | | 2 | 8 | 7 | 13 | 4 |
| | Don't know/Not sure/Refused | 3 | | | | 1 | | 2 |
| FEMALE | Total | 1,532 | 31 | 85 | 152 | 276 | 393 | 595 |
| | No | 1,463 | 28 | 79 | 144 | 262 | 374 | 576 |
| | Yes | 60 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 14 | 18 | 12 |
| | Don't know/Not sure/Refused | 9 | | 1 | | | 1 | 7 |

Denominator is:

All survey respondents who answered "yes" to at least five of the six hunger questions.